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For: METHOD OF MAKING FUSED SILICA BY)
DECOMPOSING SILOXANES)

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment (4 pages) in the above-identified application.
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- ☒ A Request for Two-Month Extension of Time.
- ☒ Supplemental Declaration (2 pages).
- ☒ A self-addressed, prepaid postcard for acknowledging receipt.
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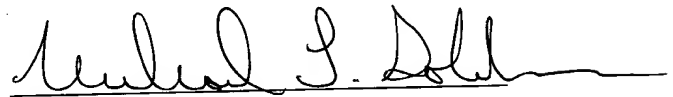
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